



THEODORE JOHNSON

... dies of injuries

Angered Bull Gores, Kills Utah Farmer

DANIEL, Wasatch County — Theodore Johnson Jr., 63, a Daniel farmer, was gored to death by a maddened Holstein bull Friday afternoon on his farm.

According to Sheriff Eugene Payne, who investigated the accident, the body was discovered by a grandson, Dwain Johnson. The grandson was unable to reach the body until he shot the bull. Dr. Willard J. Draper estimated that Mr. Johnson had been dead for over 45 minutes when he was found at 3:45 p.m.

LARGE ANIMAL

Sheriff Payne said the bull was especially large, "weighing over a ton." The body was badly mutilated, but from the doctor's report the bull had first gored him in the back.

Mr. Johnson was born Aug. 28, 1888, in Snyderville, Summit County, a son of Theodore and Lucy Snyder Johnson. He married Geneva Goodridge on March 27, 1913, in the Salt Lake Temple, Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints.

He had lived in Snyderville, Park City and for the past 11 years in Daniel. For about 40 years he had worked in the metal mines in Park City.

CHURCH WORKER

An active member of the Church, Mr. Johnson served on a mission in 1908-09 in the Central States. He was an elder in the Daniel Ward at the time of his death.

Surviving are his widow, of Daniel; four sons and a daughter, Jesse Eugene Johnson and Mrs. Helen Orgill, Daniel Albert Earl Johnson, Park City; Byron Francis Johnson, Hill Air Force Base, and Waldo G. Johnson, Las Vegas, Nev.; two brothers and six sisters, Mrs. Florence Pape, San Francisco, and Earl and Robert Johnson, Mrs. Addie Gilmor, Mrs. Lucille Grover, Mrs. Grace Giauque, Mrs. Sarah Wilde, and Mrs. Louise Lake, all of Salt Lake City; 14 grandchildren.

Funeral services will be conducted Tuesday at 1 p.m. at the Wasatch Stake Tabernacle, Heber, by Bishop Dean Bethers of the Daniel Ward.

Friends may call at Olpin Mortuary, Heber, Sunday evening, and at the Johnson home in Daniel Monday afternoon and evening and Tuesday until time of services. Burial will be in Heber Cemetery.

Geneva G. Johnson

HEBER — Funeral for Mrs. Geneva Goodridge Johnson, 69, will be Tuesday noon, Olpin Mortuary, Heber. Died Saturday, 7 p.m., at residence, 647-11th East, Salt Lake City after a lingering illness. Born March 8, 1892, Hunter, Salt Lake County, to James Willis and Eliza Frances Deuel Goodridge. Married to Theodore Johnson, March 27, 1913, Salt Lake Temple, Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints. He died April 18, 1952. Resided in Salt Lake City past eight years. Active member in the Church. Survivors: sons, daughter, Jesse Eugene, Daniels, Wasatch County; Albert (Abe), Mrs. Burnell (Helen) Orgill, both Salt Lake City; Byron, Layton; Waldo, Long Beach, Calif.; 13 grandchildren, 10 great-grandchildren; brothers, sisters, Mrs. Avery Wilken, Mrs. Josephine Frost, both Salt Lake City; Byron Deuel Hayden, Ariz.; Mrs. Minerva Dokos, Torrance, Calif.; Jesse Hardy, Detroit, Mich. Friends call Olpin Mortuary, Heber, Monday, 7-9 p.m., Tuesday prior to services. Burial, Heber City Cemetery.



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